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This is a request for filing a

☐ Continuation ☒ Divisional

application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial Number 09/961,843  
filed on September 24, 2001

of (inventors): Nobuyuki NAKAMURA  
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## ASSIGNMENT INFORMATION FOR PUBLICATION:

NKK CORPORATION  
Tokyo, Japan

entitled: **HIGH CARBON STEEL SHEET AND PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF**

- 1a. ☒ Enclosed is specification, claims and drawings of the divisional application with a copy of the Oath or Declaration in the prior application.
- 1b. ☐ Enclosed is a copy of the prior application including a copy of the Oath or Declaration.
- 1c. ☒ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- 1d. ☐ Paper entitled Deletion of Inventor(s) Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2).
2. ☒ FEE: The filing fee is calculated below:

Claims as filed, less any claims cancelled by amendment herewith:

	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate		Calculations
Total Claims	<u>4</u>	-20	=	<u>0</u>	x	\$18.00	= \$ <u>--</u>
Independent Claims	<u>3</u>	-3	=	<u>0</u>	x	\$84.00	= \$ <u>--</u>
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				+	\$280.00	=	\$ <u>--</u>
					BASIC FEE		\$ 750.00
					Total of above Calculations		\$ <u>750.00</u>

3. ☒ To the extent not tendered by check, authorization is given to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 during pendency of the application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1378. Duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.
4. ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 750.00 is enclosed.
5. ☐ Cancel claims \_\_\_\_\_

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6. ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This is a division of application Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_.

7. ☒ New formal drawings are enclosed. 4 Sheets, Figs. 1-4

8. ☒ The prior application is assigned to NKK CORPORATION, Tokyo, Japan  
(Recorded December 7, 2001 in SN 09/961,843, REEL/FRAME 012360/0030)

9. ☐ Copies of Verified Statement(s) claiming Small Entity Status filed in said application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_.  
Small entity status is still proper and desired.

10. ☒ Incorporation by Reference: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 1a or 1b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

11. ☒ The Power of Attorney in the prior application includes the following:

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12a. ☒ The power appears in the original papers of the prior application.

12b. ☐ Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.



13. ☒ Address all future communications to:

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14. ☒ Priority claim (35 USC 119) is made based upon

(35 U.S.C. 119): Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-018280 filed January 27, 2000

(35 U.S.C 120): Japanese International Application No. PCT/JP01/00404 filed January 23, 2001

U.S. Application SN 09/961,843 filed September 24, 2001 (allowed)


Certified copy of 2000-018280 was filed on November 8, 2001 in parent application Serial No. 09/961,843

Copy of PCT/JP 01/00404, 18-month publication, was filed in parent application SN 09/961,843

15. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement ☒ PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B

16. ☒ CHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS APPLICATION

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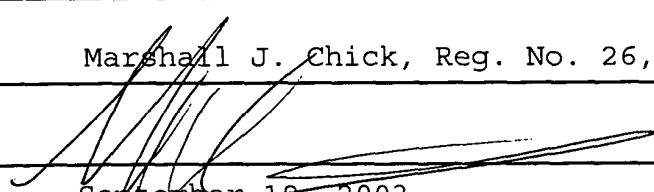
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- (1) I am fully conversant both with the Japanese and English languages.
- (2) (A) I have translated into English, Japanese Patent Application Number JP 2000-018280, filed January 27, 2000. A copy of said English translation is attached hereto.
- (2) (B) I have carefully compared the attached English-language translation of Japanese Patent Application Number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_ with the original Japanese-language patent application
- (3) The translation is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, an accurate translation from the original into the English language.

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